

AMENDED IN ASSEMBLY MAY 11, 2009

CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE—2009—10 REGULAR SESSION

**ASSEMBLY BILL**

**No. 1518**

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**Introduced by Assembly Member Anderson**

February 27, 2009

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An act to add Chapter 1.2 (commencing with Section 8020) to Division 1 of Title 2 of the Government Code, relating to state government.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 1518, as amended, Anderson. State government: boards, commissions, committees: repeal.

Existing law authorizes the creation of various state boards, commissions, and committees.

This bill would require that all statutorily created state boards, commissions, and committees that have not met or had a quorum at any of their regular meetings since January 1, 2008, be repealed on January 1, 2010. *This bill would not apply to a state board, commission, or committee if the agency secretary, under whose authority it functions, issues an order describing which state boards, commissions, or committees under his or her authority are actively meeting or have a functioning membership.*

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: no.  
State-mandated local program: no.

*The people of the State of California do enact as follows:*

- 1 SECTION 1. Chapter 1.2 (commencing with Section 8020) is
- 2 added to Division 1 of Title 2 of the Government Code, to read:

## 1 CHAPTER 1.2. AGENCIES, BOARDS, AND COMMISSIONS REPEAL

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3 8020. (a) All statutorily created state boards, commissions,  
4 and committees that have not met or had a quorum at any of their  
5 regular meetings since January 1, 2008, shall be repealed on  
6 January 1, ~~2010~~ 2011.

7 (b) *This section shall not apply to a state board, commission,*  
8 *or committee if the agency secretary, under whose authority the*  
9 *state board, commission, or committee functions, issues an order*  
10 *that states of which state boards, commissions, or committees*  
11 *under his or her authority are actively meeting or have a*  
12 *functioning membership. This order shall be transmitted to all of*  
13 *the following:*

14 (1) *The Chief Clerk of the Assembly.*

15 (2) *The Secretary of the Senate.*

16 (3) *The Chairperson of the Assembly Committee on Business*  
17 *and Professions.*

18 (4) *The Chairperson of the Senate Committee on Business,*  
19 *Professions and Economic Development.*